

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF MINNESOTA**

**IN RE: CENTURYLINK SALES
PRACTICES AND SECURITIES
LITIGATION**

This Document Relates to:

Civil Action No. 18-296 (MJD/KMM)
Civil Action No. 18-297 (MJD/KMM)
Civil Action No. 18-298 (MJD/KMM)
Civil Action No. 18-299 (MJD/KMM)

MDL No. 17-2795 (MJD/KMM)

**AFFIDAVIT OF MICHAEL D.
BLATCHLEY IN SUPPORT OF THE
REPLY MEMORANDUM OF LAW
IN FURTHER SUPPORT OF THE
MOTION OF LEAD PLAINTIFF
OREGON FOR CONSOLIDATION
OF RELATED ACTION**

I, Michael D. Blatchley, declare under penalty of perjury as follows:

1. I am a member in good standing of the Bars of the State of New York and the State of New Jersey, and am admitted *pro hac vice* to this Court. I am a partner of the law firm Bernstein Litowitz Berger & Grossmann LLP, counsel for Lead Plaintiff the State of Oregon by and through the Oregon State Treasurer and the Oregon Public Employee Retirement Board, on behalf of the Oregon Public Employee Retirement Fund (“Oregon”), and Lead Counsel for the Class. I submit this affidavit in support of the Reply Memorandum Of Law In Further Support Of The Motion Of Lead Plaintiff Oregon For Consolidation Of Related Action.

2. Attached hereto as Exhibit A is a true and correct copy of Pretrial Order No. 2, ECF No. 30, *Teamsters Local 445 Freight Division Pension Fund v. Bombardier Inc.*, No. 1:05-cv-01898-SAS-GWG (S.D.N.Y. Aug. 29, 2005).

3. Attached hereto as Exhibit B is a true and correct copy of Order, ECF No. 16, *In re Select Comfort Corp. Securities Litigation*, No. 0:99-cv-00884-DSD-SRN (D. Minn. Sept. 21, 1999).

Dated: March 20, 2018

Respectfully submitted,

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